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Interview Summary	Application No. 10/578,260	Applicant(s) TANAKA ET AL.	
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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

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Date of Interview: 05 March 2009.

Type: a) ☐ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☒ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☒ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.
If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: All pending claims.

Identification of prior art discussed: de la Tour et al. (Molecular Endocrinology, 2001, 476-483), Halvorsen et al. (Molecular and Cellular Biology, 1999, 19: 1864-1870).

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant presented arguments addressing the rejections of record. Applicant was informed that his arguments are going to be given fair consideration once formally submitted.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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/Ileana Popa/ Examiner, Art Unit 1633	
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